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Canadian Mail.

MONTREAL, Aug. 26.—The Secretary of the Northern Colonization Railway received an answer this morning from the Premier in reference to the proposition laid before him last week by the deputation of Directors which waited on him at Quebec. The Government offers to take the railway work into its own hands and complete it at the expense of the Province on condition that the municipalities carry out their undertaking to pay up the amounts for which they have made themselves liable. The Directors of the Company are in session this afternoon considering the Premier's answer.

OTTAWA, Aug. 26.—The Hon. G. Coles died at Charlottetown on Saturday. He was at one time leader of the Liberal party of the island, but some years ago became insane, and continued so until a short time before his death.

It is stated that at last Mr. Horace Merrill, of the Public Works Department, has consented to accept superannuation.

The Right Rev. Bishop Geo. D. Cummins, D. D., of the Reformed Episcopal Church, is about to make a visatation to the churches in Canada, and on 5th September next will install the Rev. H. M. Collinson as rector of Emmanuel church in this city.

A Nova Scotian has just died at the age of 103.

Mr. Laird is up among the Indians of Bruce Peninsula.

Rev. Mr. Phillips, of Ottawa, is captain of the Canadian cricket eleven.

QUEBEC, Aug. 26. It is stated that the Hon. A. Mackenzie, immediately on arrival, will take special train for Ottawa; the intended public reception will therefore have to be abandoned.

New South Wales.

SYDNEY, N. S. W., July 31st.—The steamship City of Melbourne again sustained her reputation by coming in this month on the two days in advance of contract time, delivering her mails in fifty-one days from London.

The political record, which includes an attempt to bribe a member of Parliament, the act of a well-known agent who loafs out an existence by making an attempt to filch from the public purse. This attempt was so glaring that the Attorney-General decided to try the accused for a criminal offence, and he has been fully committed without an effort to defend himself.

The British war steamer Nymphe recently arrived from England to find herself famous. The Captain of an Australian liner, with decks swept, chronometers destroyed, etc., met her off the Cape of Good Hope and begged the loan of a chronometer. A point blank refusal was all that he got, and has not forgotten to say so.

The Chief Justice of New South Wales and Governor Robinson have been "talking high" to each other through the press. The Chief Judge has, in effect, accused the Governor with falsehood, and has in return been called anything but a loyal gentleman.

Philip Philips, the American singing pilgrim, and the Hon. S. D. Hastings, Grand Representative of American Good Templars to the Australian Order, are now visiting this Colony, and express themselves highly pleased with their reception.

Parliament will adjourn next week, an unprecedentedly long and restless session. The chief aim of prolonging it has been defeated by the refusal of the Upper House to pass a Land Bill in accord with the veiews of the Government. Mr. Parkes, as leader of the opposition, made two desperate efforts to defeat the Government, without accomplishing the looked-for result.

One of the most dastardly crimes yet perpetrated even in Australia was recently recorded by the press. Mr. Tindale of Bylong, a squatter, largely engaged in breeding race-horses, purchased there a most valuable English sire ("Duke of Athol") for $15,000 and contingencies. Soon after arriving at the station the horse was stolen, driven some fifty miles away to a mountain side, rushed over a precipice, killed and partially burned. The chase was so close that the remains were not quite consumed when the searchers discovered the fire, and enough remains for positive indentification. A reward of $5000 is offered for the robber.

South Australia.

The appropriation of the greater part of the Gottenburg Relief Fund has taken place.

The revenue for the year ending June 1st amounts to £1,560,000 and the expenditure to £1,167,000.

The Jews have started a subscription to Sir Mosses Montefiore for a testimonial.

The Government proposes to arrange for the despatch of an emigrant vessel from Hamburg to Adelaide in October next.

The locusts have appeared in immense numbers in the lake country of South Australia.

A shock of earthquake has been felt at Clarendon.

Butcher's meat has to be imported into Adelaide from Melbourne.

The population of Adelaide is about 30,000.

The Town Council of Hindmarsh, South Australia, have offered bonuses for tree-planting in the streets of the municipality.

It is proposed to amend the patent laws so as to give more encouragement to inventive genius.

A company has been floated in London to construct a breakwater with extensive wharf accommodation at Hindmarsh, South Australia.

A party of nine men has started from Yam Creek to apprehend the murderers of Mr. Johnston at the Roper.

FELL'S COFFEE, superior to any other manufactured on the Coast, may be obtained of all respectable dealers throughout the Province.

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PRIZES

For POEM, ESSAY & CONUNDRUM.

THE COMMITTEE OF THE ABOVE INSTITute have the honor to announce that they hereby offer Prizes of **Twenty Dollars** ($20) each for the best Essay and Poem, together with a Prize of **Five Dollars** ($5) for the best Conundrum.

Subject for Essay—"British Columbia: her Present Condition and Future Prospects."

Subject for Poem, which is not to exceed 250 lines, —"Lo, the Poor Indian."

Competing candidates are required to send in their papers to the President of the Institute on or before **Monday the 4th of October next,** with mottoes and sealed envelopes in the usual way; the envelopes containing the names of unsuccessful candidates will be destroyed unopened.

The following gentlemen have kindly consented to act as Judges for the Essay and Poem:—The Hon. Mr. Justice Gray, The Hon. Dr. Ash, M.P.P.; Dr. Tolmie, M.P.P.

A meeting will be held at the Institute on Wednesday evening, the 13th of October next, at 8 o'clock, at which the Awards of the Judges will be pronounced and the successful papers read. The merits of the Conundrum will be decided by the audience themselves. Admission to Hall of Institute, 50 Cts.

— ALSO —

GRAND RAFFLE OF REAL ESTATE

Two Acres of Land on the Saanich Road, a short distance from Town, having been generously presented by Dr. Tolmie for the benefit of the Institute, the same will be Raffled at the above meeting, and the winner will receive a Conveyance free of all expense.

Number of Chances 750, at $1 each.

TICKETS for the Raffle may be obtained from the Librarian and from the following members of the Committee:—A. McLean, President; R. Williams, Treasurer; H. K. Woods, Secretary; T. Allsop, Jas. Fell, C. Hayward, A. Wilson, W. Wilson. au19

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ALL PERSONS TRESPASSING ON THESE grounds after this date will be **Prosecuted According to Law**; and all **Dogs** found at large therein will, without further warning, be **Shot Down** at once by the Shepherd. Recent heavy losses in sheep and lambs by hunters' dogs have dictated this course, which will be rigidly adhered to in future.

THOMAS LEE,
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Victoria, Aug. 28, 1875. au29 2wdw

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L. LOWENBERG.
Government St., July 19th, 1874. jy20

Municipal.

TO ARCHITECTS.

DESIGNS FOR A "CITY HALL" AND "City Market" are invited, and will be received by the undersigned until the 25th day of Sept'r. next ensuing, at 4 o'clock p. m., at the City Clerk's Office, where further particulars can be obtained.

A Premium of $250 will be paid for the best and $100 for the next best design.

By order of the Mayor and Council.

WILLIAM LEIGH, C.M.C.
City Clerk's Office, July 10th, 1875. jy13

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By order of the Postmaster General.

R. WALLACE,
Postoffice Inspector.

Postoffice Inspector's Office,
Victoria, 13th August, 1875. au14

Notices.

John Jenkin Smith,

PAINTER, FORMERLY OF 2, GRAMBY street, Plymouth, England, and late of Vancouver's Island. Information of him will be gladly received by his mother at 49 Keswick street, Plymouth, or by Mrs. C. J. Mahony, 7 Hughes street, Brook street, Manchester, England. au31 1mdw

TRESPASS.

ANY PERSON OR PERSONS TRESPASSing in pursuit of GAME after this date on the lands of the Hillside or Work Estate will be prosecuted according to law.

HILLSIDE, Aug. 9th, 1875. au10dw

Department of Marine & Fisheries.

NOTICE--THE OFFICE OF THE AGENCY of this department is removed to the New Custom House Building. JAMES COOPER,

Agent.
Victoria, Aug. 31st, 1875. se1 1m

EDUCATION.

CLASSES FOR YOUNG LADIES WILL be commenced on Wednesday, the 20th inst., in the house situated on the corner of Kane and Quadra streets, by competent teachers, under the immediate supervision of the Rev. E Cridge and Mrs. Cridge.

A class for boys under 8 years of age will also be formed. For particulars apply to

ja14 MRS. CRIDGE.

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JOHN GRAHAM, Manager.
VICTORIA, B. C., Aug. 14th, 1875. au15

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Victoria, Aug. 18, 1875. au19

NOTICE.

DURING MY TEMPORARY ABSENCE from the Province my brother, Mr. Jesse Cowper, holds my Power of Attorney.

H. M. COWPER.
Victoria, Aug. 28, 1875. au29

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MARCUS SMITH.
VICTORIA, 14th Dec., 1874. de15dw

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JESSE & H. M. COWPER.
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de30 LD. LOWENBERG

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The Eastern Shoal, or that nearest to the Sand Spit, has but SIX feet, and the Western Shoal but NINE feet of water at low tide ordinary springs.

JAMES COOPER,
Department of Marine & Fisheries, Agent.
British Columbia Agency, April 27th, 1875. ap2

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ON AND AFTER THIS DAY THE

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Sooke.....	Monday, 3 P.M.....	Tuesday, 9 A. M.

Letters for Registration must be posted half an hour before closing of each mail.

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HENRY WOOTTON, Postmaster.

POST OFFICE, VICTORIA, 1st Nov., 1874. no4

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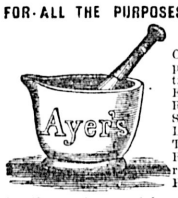

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JOHN IRVING, Master.
WRANGEL, July 10th, 1875. jy22

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NOTICE TO MARINERS.

No. 4 of 1875.

POINT ATKINSON REVOLVING LIGHT.

Notice is hereby given that a Lighthouse has been erected by the Government of Canada on Point Atkinson, at the north westerly entrance to English Bay and Burrard Inlet in the Straits of Georgia, British Columbia.

Latitude 49 deg. 19 min. 42 sec. N.

Longitude 123 deg. 15 min. 54 sec. W.

A Revolving White Light on the catoptric principle, elevated 119 feet above high water, will be exhibited on 1st May next. The light will show at intervals of one minute, making a complete revolution in two minutes.

The tower is a square building with dwelling house attached, painted white, elevated 40 feet from summit to centre of Light. The Light will be visible round an arc of the horizon from the entrance to Burrard Inlet to an E. by N. ¾ N. bearing, and should be seen in clear weather 14 or 15 miles distant.

The Light should not be brought to bear to the Eastward of North by vessels in the Straits, as this earing will only lead clear of Sturgeon Bank off Fraser River.

The Bearings are magnetic.

The Light is for coast purposes and to indicate the entrance to Burrard Inlet.

WM. SMITH,
Deputy Minister of Marine and Fisheries.

DEPARTMENT OF MARINE & FISHERIES,
Ottawa, 22nd February, 1875. mh31 2mdw

TUITION.

A LADY WILL BE GLAD TO RECEIVE A few children between the ages of 7 and 12 to educate with her own family. For further information inquire of MRS. NEWTON.

au18dw* Kateey, Fraser River,

Daily British Colonist.

FRIDAY MORNING, SEPT. 10TH, 1875.

L. P. FISHER, 20 and 21 New Merchants' Exhange is our authorized Agent in San Francisco.

Shuffling.

The *Standard* makes an attempt to shield Mr. Beaven from the consequences of his reply to Mr. Harris' question last Saturday evening, which would be very absurd if it were not for the gravity of the question and the importance of the answer. We have shown that Mr. Beaven shuffled in his answer and grasped at a straw. But admitting that Mr. Beaven is enabled to cuddle snugly beneath the protecting folds of the *Standard*, with respect to Mr. Harris' questions, what has it to say to his shuffle when confronted on the hustings by Senator Macdonald, yesterday with the following question:

"Has any communication or information reached the Government that leads you to suppose that dispatches asking for a recast of the Terms of Union are on the way from Ottawa?"

Did Mr. Beaven seize the opportunity to declare that no new terms were on the way? Not he. He was too wise in his day and generation for that. He did not answer at all. "What," exclaims the reader, "did not answer so vital a question? Impossible!" Nevertheless he did not answer it. No sooner was the question propounded than, by a concerted signal, an uproar was raised by several members of the Liniment Brigade and the Chief Commissioner escaped from the platform without furnishing the required information! If this is fair or honest treatment of a great public question on the eve of a general election, we do not know how to describe conduct as worthy of being termed villainous. The new terms are coming, notwithstanding, and the Government know it.

The McCreight Candidature.

In three successive issues we characterized as unauthorized the use of Mr. McCreight's name as a candidate for the Local House. For this we were reproached by J. W. Carey, an *employe* of the Lands and Works, who stated that he had authority for using the name. Yesterday this same Mr. Carey hopped upon the huitings and declared that he represented Mr. McCreight and proceeded at once in the hearing of the astonished electors to extol his virtues, state his political creed, vouch for him as a fit and proper person, and concluded by announcing that he (Mr. McCreight) was a supporter of the Walkem Government. Brought to book by Willis Bond, the irrepressible Carey again declared that he was duly authorized by Mr. McCreight, and that he (Carey) had come down from Nanaimo on the Vasco de *Gammon* on purpose to nominate his favorite. Shortly after the close of the hustings the Maude arrived from Nanaimo with Mr. McCreight, who lost no time in indignantly denying that he had authorized Mr. Carey or anyone else to nominate him, and in visiting the newspaper offices to withdraw his name. It appears that Mr. McCreight, in company with the Lieut. Governor, was in the vicinity of Nanaimo grouse shooting and was preparing to go to Comox when the news reached him on Wednesday that he was to be nominated on Thursday. He at once left his party and came down on the Maude to contradict the mischievous and (in one sense) damaging nomination. Mr. Carey, as we have already stated, is an employe of the Lands and Works. In the pursuit of his calling he visited Nanaimo last week and had there a conversation with Mr. McGreight relative to the latter's standing for the House. The last words Mr. McCreight said to him at Nanaimo were, "I won't stand!" Whereupon Mr. Carey (who, we have already remarked, is an employe of the Lands and Works,) embarked in the Vasco de *Gammon* for Victoria with the understanding that Mr. McCreight was going on to Comox and, thinking that he would not hear of his candidature in time to contradict it, some of the Government supporters seem to have hit upon the dishonorable plan of trying to draw enough votes of those among us who think there should be two lawyers in the House, from Mr. Elliott by the use of Mr. McCreight's name to defeat the firstnamed gentleman. Well, they have failed—signally, ignominiously, disgracefully failed; and we question very much if the means employed to injure Mr. Elliott does not win a large accession to his host of friends.

Mr. Simeon Duck.

At Philharmonic Hall Mr. Duck said that he would rather die an honorable death than live a life of luxury and dishonor. Spoken like a patriot. But is he a patriot? Let us see: Mr. Duck was a member of the last House. He was noted as a most consistent supporter of the Government in all their bad measures. No one could fathom the cause of this support until the report of receipts and expenditures was issued. Then it was discovered that Mr. Duck had been the recipient of large sums of money for blacksmith-work done for the Government. That explained his consistency. There was money in it. What says the Constitution of the Province on this head:

"No person whatsoever, holding or enjoying, undertaking or executing, directly or indirectly, alone or with any other, by himself or by the interposition of any trustee or third party, any contract or agreement with Her Majesty or with any public officer or department, with respect to the public service of this colony or under which any public money of this colony is to be paid for any service or work, shall be eligible as a member of the Legislative Assembly or shall he sit or vote therein."

There! Mr. Duck says he would rather die an honorable death than live in luxury and dishonor. His ideas of honor must be like the fancy drink, somewhat "mixed."

Redress.

EDITOR COLONIST:—In consequence of the shamefully libelous articles which have appeared in the *Standard* affecting my character, I have placed the case in the hands of A. Rocke Robertson, Esq., in order to obtain redress and punish the authors thereof.

T. B. HUMHHREYS.

VICTORIA, Sept. 9th 1875.

PROF. A. C. RICE, the world-renouned mind reader, will visit Victoria in the course of a few days. He will tell the age, name, place of birth, &c., of any person; will indicate the place of hiding of concealed articles with an accuracy that seems supernatural. The press of Australia and the United States laud the Professor to the skies. *

REFUTATION.

EDITOR COLONIST:—In the interest of truth and justice will you kindly allow me, through the medium of your paper, to correct a misstatement which I must think was made from forgetfulness by Mr. Wm. Wilson, in his letter to the "Standard" of Wednesday last, regarding Mr. T. B. Humphreys' mission to the Mainland last year. The misstatement is in the following words: "That some person should be sent to the Mainland to call meetings from New Westminster to Cariboo, at which the STAND TAKEN BY THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ON THE RAILWAY DIFFICULTY SHOULD BE CLEARLY DEFINED AND CORRECTLY STATED." Now, Sir, as Chairman of the Committee alluded to by Mr. Wilson, I beg to state most distinctly that the STAND TAKEN BY THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT on the Railway difficulty was never mentioned in Mr. Humphreys' instructions, except in so far as the said stand happened to agree with the stand taken by the League.

The facts are these: The Local Government having decided to petition the Queen with regard to the non-fulfilment of the railway covenant of the Terms of Union, the intention of the League was anticipated, and after submitting its petition to a public meeting and forwarding it to the Queen by Mr. Drake through the Lieut. Governor, the League discontinued its action; but a report having been circulated on the Mainland that the petition was on behalf of the people of Victoria, and that it prayed for the construction of an Island Railway at the sacrifice of Mainland portion of the line, it was deemed advisable by certain members of the League to form a committee to raise funds for the purpose of sending an agent through the Mainland. The choice fell, unanimously, upon Mr. T. B. Humphreys, who was instructed to proceed to New Westminster and from there through the Mainland to call public meetings where practicable, but everywhere to assure the inhabitants of the Mainland that the action of the PEOPLE OF VICTORIA was not antagonistic to the interests of the Mainland, but on the contrary was calculated to protect their best interests.

In conclusion permit me to state, most emphatically, that throughout the proceedings of the Committee, at their meetings, (which were held at my house) or in giving instructions to the Agent or Delegate, the Local Government was never mentioned, and that I never acted with the gentlemen of the Committee, AS SUPPORTERS OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT, but as members of the Terms of Union Preservation League, which was organized for the purpose of watching over and protecting the interests of British Columbia.

Yours, very truly,
C. MORTON.

VICTORIA, Sept. 9th, 1875. se10dwtf

Card of Thanks.

EDITOR COLONIST:—I deem it my duty to return thanks to Mr. T. C. Nuttall, Agent of the Phœnix Fire Insurance Company in this Province, for the liberality and promptitude with which he has settled my claim against his company for damages sustained through the destruction of my premises by fire at New Westminster; and I think the Company fortunate in having Mr. Nuttall as agent in British Columbia. ROBERT POWERS.

Victoria, B.C., Sept. 9, 1875. se10dt*

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CHARLES MARTIN.

Victoria, B.C., Sept. 9, 1875. se10

TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT MY office on Kane street, till 4 p.m. the 16th inst., for the erection of a Frame Cottage, south of James Bay.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

THOS. TROUNCE, Architect.

Kane st., Sept. 9th, 1875. se10

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NOTICE.

THE PILOTAGE AUTHORITY OF BRITISH Columbia have this day cancelled the License of Alexander McKinnon as a Pilot of British Columbia. By order.

Dated 7th Sept, 1875. se9

$500 Reward.

HAVING BEEN INFORMED THIS DAY that a report is in circulation in town that I was offered and did receive the sum of $250 to withdraw from the contest that took place for the Ottawa Parliament last year, myself being a candidate, I hereby offer a reward of $500 and will pay the same to any person who will give me such information that will lead to the conviction of the person that first circulated such an **infamous falsehood**, no doubt it being intended to injure my character as also my success at the coming election for the city.

THOS. HARRIS.

Victoria, Sept 6th, 1875. se7 1w

REMOVAL.

MRS. HALPENNY TAKES THIS OPPORtunity of returning thanks for the patronage so liberally bestowed upon her during the past six months and of informing her patrons and the public that she has removed from Fort street to YATES ST., next door above Mrs. Bowman's, where she will continue the

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Victoria, Aug 14, 1875. au15

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Selleck's, Esquimalt.

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New Advertisements.

POLITICAL MEETINGS

WILL BE HELD IN VICTORIA DISTRICT as follows:

At Rowland's, Saturday, 11th inst., at 6 p.m.

At Prairie Tavern, South Saanich, on Monday, 13th inst., at 7 p.m.

At Wain's, North Saanich, on Tuesday, the 14th inst.

At Cedar Hill School House on Fridoy, at 6 p.m. se9

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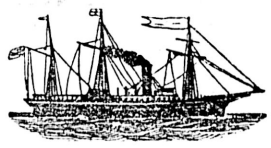

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To the Electors of Victoria District

GENTLEMEN—

I have the honor of coming before you on this occasion to offer myself as an Independent Candidate to represent your interest in the next Local Parliament In order to place myself intelligently before you it is necessary that I should state what my principles are respecting the great questions of the day. First, I will strongly advocate ths rapid construction of the Overland Railway; and if elected I shall give my earnest support to the present Government in carrying out the agreement of the Terms of Union subject to Lord Carnarvon's recommendations. I am strongly in favor of the Dry Dock at Esquimalt and will give the Government my earnest support to carry out that great project. I am in favor of opening up the country by a system of good roads, a measure productive in advancing the interests of the Farmer. My interests have always been identified with yours, and my earnest desire is to see this district prosperous and progressive. In conclusion, Gentlemen, if you should do me the honor to return me as one of your members, I pledge myself to faithfully serve your interests to the best of my ability.

I have the honor to be
Your obedient servant,
M. BAKER.

Victoria, B.C., Sept. 7, 1875. se9

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BRITISH COLUMBIA.

PROCLAMATION.

Electoral District of Victoria City

To Wit.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the Electors of the District of Victoria City that, in obedience to Her Majesty's Writ to me directed, and bearing date the Thirtieth day of August, in the Year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and Seventy-five I require the presence of the said Electors at the Police Station, Bastion street, Victoria, on the 9th day of September, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing Four persons to represent them in the Legislature of this Province; and that in case a Poll be demanded and allowed in the manner by law prescribed, such Poll will be opened on the 11th day of September, at the Police Station Bastion street, Victoria, of all which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

GIVEN under my hand at Victoria, the 31st day of August, One thousand eight hundred and seventy-five. (Signed) A. F. PEMBERTON,
Returning Officer.

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New Advertisements

Notice of Sale by Sheriff, pursuant to the "Execution Against Land Act, 1874."

SIMON ANDERSON, PLAINTIFF, AGAINST WILLIAM MILBY, DEFENDANT.

Victoria City District.	No. of Lot.	Description of Property.	Estate of interest.
Victoria City, 5 Acres.....	Undivided half of Suburban Lot XVII.....	Situated on Cook street, adjoining Jay's Nursery...	Incumbered by Wm. Milby to S. Anderson, 15th April, 1875. Tax Charge, $15 75, 12th March, 1875. Anderson v. Milby, Judgment of Supreme Court, $4414 88½, 15th of June, 1875. Registered 6th August, 1875.

When to be Sold.	Where to be Sold.
17th September, 1875, at 12 o'clock, noon.....	Sheriff's Office, Bastion Street, Victoria.

se9 RICHARD WOODS, SHERIFF.

To the Electors of the City of Victoria.

GENTLEMEN:—A general election being at hand I have the honor to present myself as a candidate to represent your interests in the Local House. It is right, therefore, that I should state explicitly the position I take as regards Pro vincial politics.

I come forward as a purely independent candidate, that is, if elected, I shall enter the House unpledged either to a blind support of, or a factious opposition to, the present Ministry. I may add there are many acts of that Ministry which I have heartily endorsed, especially their Railway policy; nor have I yet seen any reason to change my opinion. I am in favor of accepting as a gift from the Dominion the sum of $250,000 in lieu of the Dry Dock guarantee, as a means of pushing forward that great work, but on the other hand I am opposed to the scheme for capitalizing the annual interest we receive in consequence of the deficiency of our debt at the time of Union.

I am also opposed to any agitation having for its object a change in the Tariff in this Province, such changes having a tendency to unsettle commercial arrangements, without bringing any corresponding benefit to the many. My object would be to work in harmony with the Dominion Cabinet, yet insisting that engagements be fulfilled, and strenuously opposing any further relaxation of Terms.

I hope also I may point to my past work at the Board of Education as a proof that that subject will not suffer at my hands.

Finally, I would say a few words to the property holders of Victoria. Much of my own interests are at stake in Victoria and its vicinity, my endeavors will be, if elected, to guard your interests as well as my own, and for this reason I ask you to place them in my hands.

I conclude by asking every elector to record a vote in my favor, let each feel that I now solicit his vote, though I may be unable to make a large personal canvass.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant
ROBERT WILLIAMS.

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To the Electors of the City of Victoria.

GENTLEMEN—I beg to offer myself as an Independent candidate for your suffrages to represent your interest in the next Local House of Assembly.

My long residence in Victoria fully enables me to understand her wants as also the wants of the Province at large, therefore should you deem me worthy of your confidence I will pledge myself to support every good measure that may be put forward in the House to the best of my ability; and to oppose all measures most vigorously that should be offered that would be detrimental to the advancement of the Provincial interests. My actions as well as my pledge shall be Independent and unbiassed by the present or any future Government or party. As to the old cry of RAILWAY I deem it most important to this Province that the terms of union with Canada should be carried out intact as they were made, and that our union with the Dominion is impossible, cannot be complete without the railway to BIND it. On the other hand should any change be necessary in the carrying out of those terms for the mutual benefit of both Governments, I pledge myself to oppose it until fully ratified by the people of BRITISH COLUMBIA. I will endeavor to promote the interest of the Province by a more extensive scheme of immigration, to bring to our shores men that will be able to build our docks, make our railways and all other public works, men with bone and sinew, that after doing that work will prove to be good colonists and assist to cultivate the land and build themselves homes in the country for their families—men of our own race and blood, speaking the same language, and who have been accustomed to our own laws. Those are the class of emigrants we must endeavor to procure for the true interest of our Province in every possible way we can. I would also introduce at the first sitting of the House a LIEN LAW, so as to protect the laborer, artisan and mechanic, as well as the merchant, from FRAUD. Reform is my first principle, Progress is my watchword, strict economy in all expenditures of the public money, and all public works to be done by contract. I shall have the honor of meeting you at the hustings in a few days. With these remarks I humbly ask you for your confidence and support.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
THOS. HARRIS.

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To the Electors of the City of Victoria.

GENTLEMEN—

At the solicitation of many of my fellow citizens, I have the honor again to offer myself as a candidate to represent you in the Legislative Assembly.

In order to place myself intelligently before you, it is necessary that I should state what my principles are respecting the great questions which have for a long time agitated the public mind of the Paovince.

The all important question is that of Railway communication with the Eastern Provinces, without which we can scarcely be regarded as a part of the Great Dominion. I feel it incumbent on me to thoroughly endorse the action of the Local Government in their efforts to procure from the Dominion authorities a just compliance with the Terms of Union, based upon the final judgment of the Earl of Carnarvon.

The question next of importance is the early construction of the Dry Dock at Esquimalt, the furtherance of which will have my earnest support, calculated as it will necessarily be to promote the best interests of the country.

In conclusion I may briefly state that I am in favor of borrowing from the Dominion such sums of money as may from time to time be deemed necessary for the advancement and prosperity of the Province.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
JAMES TRIMBLE.

Victoria, B.C., Sept. 4th, 1875. se5

To the Electors of the City of Victoria.

GENTLEMEN—

I have the honor to offer myself as a candidate to represent you in the Legislative Assembly of the Province.

If elected I shall enter Parliament as a thoroughly Independent member, pledged, however, to support no Ministry unless they uncompromisingly insist on the performance by Canada of her treaty obligations to this portion of the Dominion.

As a personal canvass is now nearly impossible, I shall make arrangements to explain to you in public meeting, between this and the day of nomination, my views on other subjects of more or less general interest. I remain, Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,
A. C. ELLIOTT.

Victoria, B.C., 24 Sept., 1875. se3

To the Electors of the City of Victoria.

AT THE REQUEST OF A LARGE NUMber of the electors I offer myself as one of your representatives in the next Legislature, where our political destiny is to be chosen at this crisis in our history.

It is specially important that you should elect members who will faithfully and fearlessly represent your wishes. The following is a brief outline of the views I am prepared to advocate: First—I uphold the policy in the action taken by those with respect to the fulfilment of the Terms of Union with Canada; the construction of the Graving Dock at Esquimalt; the expenditure of sums of money for the development of the resources of the Province; and the interest they have always taken in educating the hardy sons of toil of this Province shall always receive from me a most cordial and hearty support. My interests have always been identical with yours and my earnest desire is to see this city prosperous and progressive. And if you elect me as one of your members I will use my exertions to secure that result.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
G. C. GEROW.

Victoria, Sept. 6th, 1875. se7

To the Electors of the District of Victoria District.

GENTLEMEN—Having to the best of my ability served you through one session of the Provincial Parliament, I respectfully ask your votes at the general election next week to ensue.

If you again honor me with your confidence you may rely on my loyally supporting any Government in an honest endeavor to have the Carnarvon modifications of the Railway Terms faithfully carried out in every particular.

You know that in February, 1874, I was not slow to join those in our midst who then spoke out against the Dominion Government. I am ever ready, should need be, for remonstrance at Ottawa and London also; but, friends, I see no cause of complaint now, and I have no patience with political shams.

I have always been most anxious that the Railway should progress and, like yourselves, as you will remember, felt bitterly disappointed when, in May, 1874, matters were brought to a standstill here by the obstructive policy of the Local Government.

Why is it that the Esquimalt-Nanaimo Railroad is not now in the hands of the contractors, from whose expenditure the farmers should by this time be reaping their share of benefit—why? Because, in the first place, in May, 1874, the Edgar preliminary negotiations carried on for two months with apparent cordiality, and with constant telegraphic communication with Ottawa, were by our Ministry abruptly broken off without any reason alleged that has ever satisfied the general public.

The cause of delay this present year has been the rejection by the Dominion Senate of the Esquimalt-Nanaimo Railway Bill. This puzzled us greatly at first; but it has latterly transpired that the Bill had been thrown out because, in the Local House, our Premier had made the astounding assertion that notwithstanding the Carnarvon modifications the original Railway Terms of Sir John A. Macdonald were still intact. This was tantamount to saying that seven years and sixteen years mean the same thing. Be not deceived, fellow electors. There are the real causes of delay. Deny it who can. "Be just and fear not." Let the blame rest where it ought to, and where—MARK MY WORDS—it will ere long be universally laid. Claptrap may have its brief day and may even achieve its petty triumphs; but only truth endures.

I have hope that the Dominion Government may yet give us in lieu of the guarantee the $250,000 for Drydock construction. With this and the Imperial grant the work will go bravely on.

Now is the time, fellow electors, for you deliberately to decide whether or not you will authorize your future representatives to advocate the capitalization of what remains of the $900,000 on which we now receive annual interest from Canada at the rate of five per cent.

You know that in conjunction with my colleague I last winter ascertained from you the wants of the district in the way of road repairs, &c., &c. A statement thereof was duly submitted to the Chief Commissioner with disappointing results, as you know. Fellow electors, reform in this matter is greatly needed. But more when we meet.

Throughout the Province dissatisfaction seems to be felt at the existence of the fourth Portfolio as well as the high salaries now received by Ministers. If re-elected, I shall endeavor to have the fourth Portfolio abolished and salaries reduced to $3000, inclusive of members' allowance of $400. It is my belief that such a retrenchment would afford general satisfaction. Law Reform I will earnestly advocate, so likewise the extension of the advantages of our Free School system. In conclusion, I shall support every measure of real reform and progress from whatsoever quarter emanating.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
W. F. TOLMIE.

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To the Electors of Esquimalt & Sooke, Including Highland & Metchosin.

GENTLEMEN:—At the solicitation of numerous electors I am induced to declare myself a candidate for your suffrages at the approaching General Election for the Local Legislature; and if it be your pleasure to return me as one of your representatives, I shall devote all by time to promote your interest and the welfare of the community with zeal and fidelity, while

I have the honor to be,
Your very obedient servant,
WILLIAM FISHER.

Esquimalt, 1st Sept., 1875. se2dw

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Proclamation

Electoral District of Esquimalt,

To Wit.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the Electors of the District of Esquimalt that in obedience to Her Majesty's Writ to me directed, and bearing date the Thirtieth day of August, in the Year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, I require the presence of the said Electors at the School House, Esquimalt, on the 10th day of September, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing Two persons to represent them in the Legislature of this Province; and that in case a Poll be demanded and allowed in the manner by law prescribed, such Poll will be opened on the Fourteenth day of September, at the School House, Esquimalt; at Muir's Sooke; and at Parson's Bridge (Highland and Metchosin); of all which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

GIVEN under my hand at Esquimalt the First day of September, One thousand eight hundred and seventy-five. CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Returning Officer.

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Copartnership Notice.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE THIS DAY ENtered into copartnership and will carry on the business of Plumbing, Gas Fitting, Bell Hanging, &c.

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REQUISITION.

ESQUIMALT DISTRICT, 1st Sept., 1875.

FREDERICK WILLIAMS, ESQ.,

DEAR SIR:—We the undersigned Electors of the Electoral District of Esquimalt having confidence in your ability, and knowing the large interest that you have in Esquimalt District, beguest that you will represent us in the next Local Legislature of this Province, and we hereby pledge ourselves to do our utmost to secure your election.

William Arthur,	Wm. Selleck,
James Ibister,	Thomas Stephens,
Peter J. Leech,	John Harmon,
James Andrews,	James W. Bland,
Wm. W. Roberts,	Walter Boughner,
Chas. Brafield,	William Trickey,
A. Thomas,	John Russell,
Wm. Farrell,	R. Maltby,
George Roberts,	F. Everett,
George Dyer,	Thos Martin,
T. Sidney Dobbin,	James Dunn,
J. H. Innes,	George Scarf,
Wm. J. Whitmarsh,	Joseph Gray,
Wm. H. Brooks,	Peter Calvert,
Richard Phillips,	John Parker,
Thomas Waterhouse,	Mark Singleton,
James McAuslan,	J. W. Stirtan,
Evan Benjamin,	George McKenzie,
T. Yardley,	Mathew Frances,
John Porter,	William Tyler,
John Arthur,	Jonathan Simpson.
George F. Hawkins,	

REPLY,

GENTLEMEN:—With unfeigned thanks for the requisition that is before me I undeservedly place myself in your hands as a Candidate for your suffrages at the approaching Election. It is customary on such occasions as the present for candinates to express their views and opinions on the leading issues of the day, and in deference to this custom I beg to offer (very briefly) for your approval the following policy:—

One of the most important questions in respect to Esquimalt at the meeting of the House will be the Esquima t Dry Dock, the energetic building of which is of the utmost importance to every resident in Esquimalt District; and I am sure you will believe me when I state that I will use my utmost endeavors to consummate so important a work. I may here state that as far as I can see the present Government have done, and are doing, their utmost to forward the construction of this great work. I approve of the course of the Government in taking over from Canada such sums of money as may be required for improvements in the Province, for I contend that the money so expended is worth more to this Province than five per cent. per annum, in opening up the country and developing its resources. I consider that the Nanaimo-Esquimalt Railroad is of the greatest importance to this District as a branch of the Grand Trunk Railway "with Esquimalt as the Terminus;" and if elected will command my utmost attention and support. I pledge myself to use my best endeavors to get such amounts of money for roads, bridges, etc., etc., as are reasonable and to which we are justly entitled. I am in favor of retrenchment in public expenditure so far as not to impair the efficiency of the public service. Education will receive my warm support. All Bills and Measures that are brought before the House which are for the good of the Province at large will receive my unremitting attention and most cordial support.

In conclusion, Gentlemen, if you should do me the honor to return me as one of your members, I pledge myself to faithfully serve your interests to the best of my ability.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
FREDERICK WILLIAMS.

[Standard copy.]

REQUISITION AND REPLY.

To Robert Weir, Esq., Metchosin.

We, the undersigned Electors of Esquimalt District, request you will allow yourself to be nominated as a candidate for the above district at the forthcoming election for the Legislative Assembly, and we pledge you our votes and support to return you.

Edward Vine,	G. F. Hawkins,
Hans Helgesen,	J. Simpson,
John Muir,	Wm. Tyler,
Robt. Muir,	Wm. Young,
Jas. Welsh,	Wm. E. Pearse,
W West,	Wm. Selleck,
George Cook,	John Dunstan,
John Lawrence,	Thos. G. Difome,
John Cormack,	John Haasman,
Wm. K. Fisher,	Thos. Gleed,
George Dutnall,	Henry Cogan,
Samuel Morrow,	George Pearse,
Isaac Mall,	Jas. Abrams,
Charles Williams,	Thos. Ariss,
Lewis Scott,	J. W. Sharton,
Arthur Peatt,	F. Turner,
Geo. Crookshank,	M. Muir,
Geo. McKenzie,	J. Muir, jr.,
Matthew Francis,	John Weir.

REPLY.

GENTLEMEN:—I have much pleasure in thanking you for your numerously signed requisition requesting me to stand as a candidate to represent the District of Esquimalt in the Legislative Assembly. I feel highly honored by the confidence you have placed in me, and cheerfully consent to become a candidate at the approaching election.

If returned to the Legislative Assembly I will give my cordial support to the present Ministry, without sacrificing my own independence or the public interests.

I endorse the policy of the present Government respecting the Drydock and Railway, and will do my best to secure the immediate commencement of the work construction.

I am in favor of such protection to home industry as will benefit alike the Agriculturalist, the Manufacturer and the Merchant.

With respect to constructing Provincial public works out of capital instead of out of current revenue, I think it would be better to get what capital we may require at 5 per cent. from Canada than borrow elsewhere at 6 per cent.

My best attention will be directed to secure the necessary annual of appropriation for roads and schools.

I am, Gentlemen,
With great respect,
Your most obedient servant,
ROBERT WEIR.

To Messrs. Helgeson, Muir, Peatt, Selleck and others.

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FRIDAY MORNING, SEPT. 10TH, 1875.

THE BRITISH COLONIST

Is the only Paper Published at Victoria that receives Regular Telegraphic Dispatches.

The Nominations.

A considerable number of citizens assembled at the Police Barracks yesterday, to hear the nomination of the condidates for the Legislature. At 12 the necessary formalities having been gone through by the Returning Officer and his Clerk,

Mr. Bunster mounted the platform and announced that he intended to nominate Mr. Thos. Harris, a gentleman well and he believed favorably known to all the electors, one who had made money in the country and had spent it amongst them, and would probably have been in affluent circumstances now, but for an unhappy accident. He was sure that none of those present could doubt that Mr. Harris if elected would always be found supporting the right side, and that they would have in him one who would invariably give his vote in such a manner as to maintain his self respect and to secure their approbation (hear, hear).

Mr. Clayton in a few well chosen remarks seconded the nomination of Mr. Harris.

Mr. W. Wilson ascended the platform to nominate Mr. Beaven amongst whose good works he claimed the completion of our municipal liberties, the extension of the city limits. To him also were due great and important reforms in the Land Office in which it was now possible to obtain information. He believed also that the Provincial roads and bridges had benefited largely by Mr. Beaven's term of office, and characterized him as a hardworking and energetic public officer, whom he had much pleasure in nominating for re-election. (Hear hear.)

Mr. Gowen seconded. Mr. Beaven had now been 4 years on trial and he was satisfied that all who had watched his career would agree with him in saying that he ought to be returned at the head of the poll.

Mr. Spratt had much pleasure in nominating Mr. Elliott.

Mr. Ball seconded.

Mr. Turner rose to nominate Mr. Duck an honest man, who had been before his fellow citizens now for four years and he was satisfied that he could safely let his works speak for him, and if they would return him again they would find that they had the right man in the right place (hear, hear).

Mr. C. Hayward, in seconding Mr. Duck, alluded to the occasion of his previous return, and said that he had the advantage this time of a good character from his last place. Important subjects would be brought before the next House for consideration and he thought they ought to send old and tried servants to the task (hear, hear).

Mr. W. K. Bull nominated Dr. Trimble and he did not think that much recommendation would be necessary. Everybody knew the Doctor. They had witnessed his career as Mayor and as Speaker of the House; he thought all would agree that the Doctor had performed his duties with dignity and cordiality; in fact, the House would not be complete without him. (Hear, hear.)

Mr. Alex. Wilson, in seconding Dr. Trimble, after a few general remarks in praise of the Government enumerating the roads and bridges, etc., which they had built, said that they had stood out nobly against Canada and that Dr. Trimble deserved support for the hearty manner in which he had declared his intention of supporting the Government at the meeting at the Mechanics Institute.

Mr. Drake, in nominating Mr. Douglas, said that his candidate, if elected, would represent capital, an interest which hitherto had not been represented in the Legislative Halls. We had heard a great deal of the bone and sinew of the country, but brains and capital were as necessary to a country as flesh and blood. (laughter and cheers), and he thought it more likely to come to the country if fairly represented in its Councils.

Mr. McLean hoped Mr. Douglas would not be rejected on account of his youth, which, so far as he knew, was the only objection which could be made to him. This was his political birth and he was sure if they elected him none of them would regret having assisted at it. He was confident that if sent to the House he would do his best and he would not inherit the ability of his father if he did not play a prominent part. We wanted a sprinkling of young men in the House who had been born and brought up in the country. Mr. Douglas was in such a position that he need not ask for favors from any party. He sought no portfolio from the Local Government, neither would he be likely to kiss Mackenzie's toe for a Dominion appointment. Now was the time to put men like him into the Local Legislature, for it was there, and now, that the Railway battle would really have to be fought, and if they sent Mr. Douglas to do their fighting he was sure they would look back upon their action with pleasure.

Mr. J. W. Carey in proposing Mr. J. F. McCreight gave what he called some explanation of his reason for so doing. He remarks were received with considerable laughter, and when he had finished he was asked if he could show any written authority for the course he had adopted. He replied by asking if anyone supposed he went about with a pocketful of credentials, and was it likely that he would have come down from Nanaimo to nominate him if he had no authority; also that his word ought to be enough for the electors.

Shouts of "No, no."

Mr. R. Williams said that in seconding Mr. McCreight he did so purely from the respect he had for him, but most distinctly repudiated all responsibility for the nomination; that must rest entirely with Mr. Carey, and amidst great laughter said that if it turned out to be bogus he had no doubt the electors would know exactly what to think of Mr. Carey.

Mr. J. W. Williams then nominated Mr. G. C. Gerow, who, he said, was the workingman's friend.

A Voice—What did he ever do for the workingman?

Mr. J. W. Carey seconded, and believed he would be a credit to the City if elected.

Mr. W. Wilson said that the gentleman who had promised to nominate Mr. R. Williams was unavoidably absent, and as he thought it a pity that he should not have fair play he would undertake the task himself.

Mr. Alex. Wilson seconded.

A show of hands was then called for and was declared by the Returning Officer to be in favor of Messrs. Beaven, Duck and Trimble.

Between Messrs. Elliott and Douglas it was declared a tie, and Mr. Pemberton gave it in favor of the youngest candidate, Mr. Douglas.

Mr. Drake demanded a poll on behalf of Mr. Elliott, which the Returning Officer declared would take place on Saturday at the Police Barracks, from 8 a. m, to 4 p. m.

Mr. Beaven being loudly called for came forward and was received with applause. He said that he must confess to some bashfulness after the flattering remarks which had fallen from the gentleman who nominated him. He had certainly tried to do his best during his term of office, and he believed he could safely say that the prosperity of the Province and the applause of the people he lived amongst were the only things he had sought for. Everyone was fully aware of the importance of the question to be decided by the ballot on Saturday, and he thought it spoke well for the character of the citizens to see so many of them take an interest in public affairs, and was a proof of the truth of the principle that all power emanated from the people. He hoped to be excused if he went into matters of a purely personal character. It was now four years since his election, and he trusted that all who had then voted for him would upon a fair examination be satisfied with his record. At that time the principal object of attention was voting by ballot. Other planks of the political platform were the establishment of free non-sectarian schools, the opening up of the country by trunk roads and facilitating the acquisition of homesteads by actual settlers. Respecting the ballot it was not necessary to say anything. Extensive surveys had been made of waste lands and all could see at the Lands & Works Office maps and plans showing the location and quality of waste lands, the kind of timber, &c. (Hear, hear.) Then as to the opening up of trunk roads when work by contracts now let was completed, there would be a road all through from Cowichan to Nanaimo. He regretted that a road had not been made between Cowichan and Victoria; but he need not go into that question now. A good road was now in existenne from Ladner's Landing to Yale, 100 miles of which had been built last year. A good cattle trail had been made from Hope through the Nicola Valley, which might be followed as far as Kamloops or on to Cariboo. Victorians might ask what this had to do with them, but it was undoubtedly a benefit both to them and to the settlers of the Mainland if beef could be sent down and sold in this market; besides, anything which facilitated the sale of produce in the country benefited Victoria. This was the grand centre to which everything gravitated, and everywhere we could see signs of prosperity. All were busy, not an idle mechanic to be seen, and buildings going up on every side. Was he wrong in claiming all this as evidence that the policy of the Government was beneficial to the Province. He proceeded to speak of the public improvements, of the wing now being built of what he hoped would be the future Provincial University, and asserted that the Legislative Hall and the Courts of Justice were superior to any similar structures in the older Provinces of Ontario and Quebea. The hospitals throughout the Province, and especially Victoria, have been greatly improved. The Mechanics' Institute and the Fire Department which were a credit to the city and Province had been aided. He did not mean to say that the Government were spotless, but he did say they had done their best. There was one other matter which he wished to refer to, and that was the Railway question. On this he counselled all to stand together shoulder to shoulder and unite in adopting a course which would be best for all, and if this were done he was confident that instead of fresh negotiations actual work would soon be commenced, if all would support the Railway policy of the present Government, which was simply to insist on the carrying out of the treaty obligations, to commence at once and honestly carry out the work. He asserted that the wishes of the Local Government and the popular feeling had been misrepresented at Ottawa. He complimented the electors of Victoria, who, he said, were supposed at Ottawa to be the representatives of the intellect of the Province, and he called on all to show themselves united on this point, and by supporting the present Government to show a solid front to the powers at Ottawa. [Great applause.

Mr. Livock wished to know if the dry dock money was a loan to the Province or not.

Mr. Beaven said the Province would not have to repay the dry dock subsidy or pay interest on it.

In answer to the question if the Government were in possession of any information as to whether any negotiations were about to be commenced for further alteration in the railway terms, he said that the Government had not received any proposals for new terms as yet.

Some little confusion arose here, and shouts of Duck, Duck, Harris, Harris. The Returning Officer expressed a wish that the candidates might be allowed to speak in the order in which they had been proposed, and Mr. T. Harris came on the platform.

He said he came forward as an Independent Reform candidate. He was prepared to assist any Government in carrying good measures and he would certainly oppose bad ones. He would support a good emigration scheme, the dry dock, lien law, &c. As regarded the railway his view of the case was that Canada had entered into a partnership with us and we had carried out our part of the bargain; but had Canada carried out hers? [Shouts of no, no.] He approved of the course the Government had taken on the this matter and it behoved all to stand shoulder to shoulder on this matter. Without the Railway the Dominion could not be completed. The redistribution of seats was a measure which would require attention. Nanaimo with 1100 inhabitants returned only one member, while Kootenay with only 46 voters returned two. Cassiar was practically disfranchised. It said a great deal for the peaceable disposition of the people that they would stand such an arrangement, and if elected he would do his best to have it altered. If Canada did not mean to build the Railway let her say so and we will separate. He thought that three delegates ought to be sent to England to say that we wished for this (hear, hear). He was ready to fight for our rights if fighting was necessary. (Great laughter.) The drydock ought to be built with white labor. (Hear, hear.) All public works ought to be made by white laborers, and that would be the means of introducing valuable settlers into the country. We wanted no more Mongolians to take the bread out of white men's mouths.

Mr. Washington wished to know if Mr. Harris meant to exclude him. (Great laughter.)

Mr. Harris said he considered Mr. Washington and his people all as British subjects, and asked if he had not always treated them as such. (Applause, and loud cries for Duck.)

Mr. Duck thanked the electors for the reception accorded to him and was gratified to find he retained their confidence and hoped that his conduct for the last four years would secure his return. There had been but two pledges exacted from him on the last occasion on which he sought their suffrages. One was to vote for the Caeadian Tariff, the other to support every measure which he thought likely to promote the interests of the Province. The Tariff was now closed and all that remained to be said on that question was that it was well known that it was adopted on the understanding that the Dominion Government would carry out the Railway clause and that the advantages which would accrue to us from such action on their part would more than counterbalance any inconveniences or losses arising from the adoption of the Tariff. The way in which the performance of this condition had been evaded was painful to think of. Many had spent their last dollar in preparing for the increased business which they believed would flow in with the construction of that great work only to be disappointed. The past was like a mirror in which were reflected only broken promises and ruined hopes. Four years had passed and what reasons had we now, any more than before, for believing that they were in earnest. The covenant with Lord Carnarvon did not seem more likely to be carried out than any other. True, steel rails had been bought, but all knew that one of Mr. Mackenzie's Ministers had said further relaxation of the terms would be submitted. This, the speaker maintained, meant the defeat of the Local Ministry and putting men in their places who would be more easy to manage and then the Home Government would be again appealed to and told that the British Columbia Government would consent to further relaxation, and it would be granted and 'good-bye' Railroad. The Home Government were in duty bound to see us through if we only stuck together (cheers). He thought the Local Government were the true friends of the province. (Hear, hear.)

Mr. Elliott on being called for, came forward and said that in the first place it would be necessary to say something personal. An article had appeared in the *Standard* of that morning calling upon him to resign his office of Magistrate. He would tell them at once that he did not intend to resign it. (Hear, hear.) He did not depend on the Local Government for his position. If he did he would be constitutionally unfit to represent them. He was paid by the citizens of Victoria. It was from them, through the medium of the Corporation, that he received the salary for his services. If it could be proved that he was indebted for it to the Government he would resign it. It had been said that his only object in seeking election was to *oust* the present Government with the view of rising to power himself. He was unable to see anything shameful in aspiring to office. Mr. Beaven, Armstrong and Dr. Ash had aspired and had risen and he could not tell why that which was right in a doctor or a tradesman should be wrong in a lawyer. (Cheers and laughter.) He had said that he would support any Government which would insist on the carrying out of the Railway Terms agreed on by Mr. Walkem and Lord Carnarvon, and would oppose any attempt to break those Terms. It was useless to talk of parties either here or at Ottawa. Sad as the task might be we had now to repudiate both Macdonald and Mackenzie and to say that we have been deceived and deluded from first to last. What the Province wanted was actual construction. We do not want anybody here who would take a buggy and go down to Esquimalt and hide himself in the bush and drive stakes there which nobody had since been able to find, while speculative citizens were taking up land at hazard wherever they fancied they were nearest to them. (Great laughter.) With reference to the proposal to borrow money from Canada he considered it would be better in the present state of things to borrow, if we must borrow, even at slightly advanced rates, in some other other country. It would be safer and more honorable. In the event of further complication on the Railway question we might be compelled to appeal once more to England, and then if when we laid our case before Lord Carnarvon we had to admit that we had in the meanwhile borrowed money from Canada he would naturally say: "What! borrowed money from the people who have deceived you when you could have got plenty here in England." He did not believe in borrowing money simply to carry on the Government; but if it was for the completion of any specific work he would do so. As for the charge that he intended to upset the present Government, he had no more notion of doing so than of drowning himself. If the Government would do their whole duty he would try and work with them. The Electors knew that if he accepted office he must come back to them for re-election and if he broke his pledges what could he expect but that they would hurl him in the dust. He believed that asking electors for their vote was against the spirit of the Ballot Act, and it elected he would bring in a bill to put an end to it. If published addresses and speeches were not sufficient he would like to know what was? (Cheers) In response to a question on the Chinese question, he said the experiment of forcing the Chinese out had been tried in older countries and failed. He would not wage war against any race or nation, and he looked upon the matter as one rather for individual action or custom than for legislative interference. In conclusion he said he would bear no malice if not elected, and hoped that he should never give cause to regret it if they returned him. (Prolonged cheering.)

Dr. Trimble said that for the last four years he had occupied a position in the Legislature which was a silent one, and it was therefore all the more his duty to explain to them his views on the Railway and other questions. He admitted that he had been opposed to the Railway policy of the present Government. Edgar went to the Mainland to find out the state of feeling there instead of coming forward and treating openly with the Government. He approved of the subsequent action of the Government and the Walkem mission. If Mr. Walkem had not gone to England we should be in the same position as ever. As to certain remarks of the last speaker respecting the borrowing of money. Each separate item must be voted by the House, and he did not see much danger and it would be better to borrow money of Canada at five per cent. than to get it from England at six. He believed the moral power of England would make Canada carry out her Railway obligations. He approved of the Educational measures of the Government. He would support the Government on the questions he had alluded to, and he thought that nobody here where he was so well known would believe him incapable of assisting them to pass any evil projects they might introduce, (applause.)

Mr. Douglas had already set forth his views in his address and at the late meeting at the Mechanic's Institute. With regard to the Railway he thought that when once done the great question, even amongst the Canadians themselves, would be, as was the case with the Americans, why was it not done sooner. He could have no hesitation in supporting the construction of the dry dock, but he thought the subsidy from England insufficient in return for the advantages which they would derive from the use of it, and would assist any resolution asking for an increase. He would, of course, favor any good measure regardless of the party who might bring it forward.

Mr. Gerow coincided with the Government on the Railway and dry dock policies; but on the immigration scheme he thought it wou'd be better to make preparations for receiving the emigrants first. As to borrowing the money he would borrow where he could get it the cheapest and would borrow all he could. As for the Chinamen he would send them all out of the country if he could; one white man with a family was worth a thousand of them to the country. As to the railroad, the American railroad was built in less than four years and he could not see why the Canadians wanted so long. The Terms of Union ought never to have been altered, and we ought to have said long ago, fulfil them or we will secede. The Canadians had no business to prevent us doing so. He was a Canadian himself but he would fight against the biggest thing that ever floated in defence of his rights.

Mr. R. Williams said he would cut it short as he thought his audience must be getting tired and he was the last speaker. He was an Independent candidate, but he would support the Government on some important subjects. He wanted fair play for all, however, and did not wish to hurry Canada too much. He complimented Mr. Walkem's action in getting another £20,000 from England. He did not believe in indiscriminate borrowing, but when any great public work was to be done and if the matter had been properly submitted to the Legislature he did not see any wrong in it. He approved of borrowing the money from Canada. He would not make any Provincial law against Chinese labor. He was in favor of education and was a member of the board, and while, if elected, he would not give a blind support to the Government so also he would not indulge in factious opposition. In answer to a question of Mr. W. Wilson, how taking money from Canada could be called borrowing, was it not more like taking our own? he said (great laughter) that he would tell it what they liked. If they gave him their votes they would not be disappointed.

Mr. Carey again made an attempt to bring Mr. McCreight's candidature forward but was very neatly set upon by Mr. W. Bond who made a very neat speech to the effect that the questions before the audience were too important to be trifled with by Mr. Carey or anybody else.

Mr. Deasy, in answer to a call, came forward and exhorted all to be unanimous and pull together. If they did not he hoped he might live to see the railroad but he was afraid he would not.

The Returning Officer announced that the poll would take place at the Barracks, on Saturday the 11th, and would commence at eight o'clock, a.m.

Mr. Dalby called for three cheers for the Returning Officer, and Mr. Beaven proposed three cheers for the Queen, all of which were heartily given and the proceedings closed.

Municipal Police Court.

[Before A. C. Elliott, Esq., J. P.]

THURSDAY, Sept. 9th.

Hah-ab-Knuck, a Fort Rupert Indian, charged with having stolen $30 from another Indian, was remanded until today.

George Balfour, charged with having obtained the sum of twenty dollars on false pretences of A. V. Stronach, was remanded till noon on Monday.

A DUAL-FACED ORGAN.—The *Standard* affects great alarm at hearing that Mr. Elliott is a Police Magistrate at the same time that he is a candidate for the Local House. Vell, vot of it? Eighteen months ago the *Standard* supported Mr. Dalby, then Mayor of the city, for the Local House in Victoria District. It didn't call on *him* to resign. The *Standard* is also supporting Councillor Shakespeare for the Local House in Victoria District; but it has not called on Mr. Shakespeare to resign as Councillor before he offers himself as a member. If Mr. Elliott would worship the Golden Calf that Walkem & Co. have set up across James Bay, or bow to the Gesler Cap of the *Standard* the dual question would not be heard of.

THE VOLTA.—The French residents of Victoria have tendered a public dinner to the Captain commanding and Officers of the French man-of-war Volta, through Messrs. C. Lombard and L. Lucas. The Commander and Officers accepted the invitation with thanks. The dinner will take place at the Driard House in the course of a few days. The Volta will sail for San Francisco on Tuesday next. No other French war-vessel is expected on this station.

THE Maude arrived at 5:30 yesterday from the East Coast with 5 head of cattle, produce, etc., and the following passengers: Mrs. Hankin, Mrs. Davie, Miss Nagle, Mrs. Gribbell, Mrs. Holden, Miss Gough, Mr. Gibbert, Bishop Hills, Rev. and Mrs. Bryant, Mr. Sproat, P. G. Galley, Mr. McCreight, John Nicholson, Messrs. Raybould, Winsley, Davis, Blenny, Campbell and several others.

THE STEAMSHIP CALIFORNIA left at 6:30 last evening for Wrangel with 150 tons of freight and 18 or 20 passengers, amongst whom were Major Rickards, U. S. A., and clerk, Dr. McGee, U. S. A. and Messrs. Dunn, Allen Francis, George Francis, C. T. Millard, Father Kirley and Ned Underwood.

THE "GAMMON" NOMINATION.—Mr. Carey in nominating Mr. McCreight without authority announced that after seeing Mr. McCreight at Nanaimo, he (Mr. Carey) embarked on board the Vasco de *Gammon* for Victoria. Joe meant to say "Gama," but he very appropriately slipped in the wrong word. Mr. R. Williams, in seconding the Vasco de *Gammon* nomination was careful to say that he was not responsible for it.

SUPREME COURT.—There are many enquiries from the upper country as to whether a full circuit of the Supreme Court is to be held this year. The season is already advanced and the rainy weather at hand. Is the circuit being delayed to enable the Attorney-General to attend as Crown counsel and to make his election tour at the public expense?

THE Government, we understand, have withdrawn Dr. Foster's name as a candidate in this District, finding, after a diligent canvass, that he has no show. From present appearances the candidates will be: Messrs. Williams, Weir and Fisher, all Independents.

EAST COAST.—Nanaimo nominates today. Messrs. Brydon and Gordon are in the field.... In the Douglas Pit a 7½ feet seam of fine coal has been struck.... Mrs. Musters of Comox is dead. She was greatly beloved by the settlers.... The diamond drill has arrived at Nanaimo.

THEATRE ROYAL.—We are sorry that the Elections preclude a lengthy notice of the really excellent play of the "Isle of Tropez," which was well presented last night. On Saturday evening, when the officers of the Volta will attend, the "Corsican Brothers" will be played.

THE Esquimalt nomination will take place at noon to-day at the School-house, Esquimalt Town.

MR. MCCREIGHT has requested us to state that he has not been and is not a candidate for the approaching election.

THE London correspondent of the *Scotsman* says that Lord Dufferin intends next spring to cross the American continent by the Pacific railway, and to visit Vancouver Island and British Columbia.

OFFICIAL ASSIGNEE.—Mr. B. P. Griffen of this city, was offered this position by the Dominion Government but declined it.

THE large English ship City of York, loading wheat at Portland, Oregon, was slightly damaged by fire on Monday evening.

Royal Hospital.

Sept. 9th, 1875.

MR. EDITOR.—Can you inform me what the Hospital is for, the benefit of the sick or well? My reason for asking this is on account of the following: An old man named Rattaray applied on Tuesday last for admission and was refused. On Wednesday he applied again and received an order of admission, but too late, as he died on the way. If a proper case, why refuse him at first when he might possibly have been relieved?

AN INQUIRER.

Magistrates as M. P's.

EDITOR COLONIST:—I see that your contemporary calls on Mr. Elliott to resign his position as City Magistrate before offering himself as a candidate for the city. In England it is quite common for Recorders or Magistrates of cities to sit in Parliament. Their presence there is deemed to a certain extent necessary for the proper explanation of measures affecting the Municipalities. Russell Gurney, Recorder of London, has been an M. P. for many years. So have the Recorders of Birmingham and several other cities.

JOHN BULL.

How's This?

EDITOR COLONIST:—Mr. Shakespeare has canvassed Victoria District for six weeks past as an *independent* candidate. Yesterday he rode through the District with Mr. DeCosmos, who canvassed for him vigorously. I pledged myself to vote for him as an Independent. Am I still bound, now that he has thrown off the lion's skin and assumed the sheep's clothing, to vote for him?

INDEPENDENT.

[Certainly not. If Mr. Shakespeare secured a pledge from you by professing to be an Independent, he cannot claim the fulfillment of that pledge after he has come out as a Government man.—ED. COL.]

To the Electors of the City of Victoria.

GENTLEMEN:—1. Take warning in time, and do not elect men who are avowed enemies of our common country and of the Mackenzie administration in particular.

2. You were guilty of a foolish act when you endorsed the Walkem mission, a mission fruitless as it was mischievous.

3. A strong country holding the purse strings can easily overcome a poor and weak one.

4. If you send men to the Provincial Assembly purposely to keep a quarrel open with Canada—and fight her—you will be beaten.

5. If you condemn the Mackenzie administration, the Mainland will approve, as witnessed by its action on the Walkem Mission.

6. If it had not been for the great engineering difficulties on the Fraser River route you would have lost the Island Railway and the Bute Inlet route, through your having endorsed the Walkem Mission.

7. If Walkem, Beaven & Co. are elected as enemies of Canada, are they likely to get the $250,000 bonus for the Dock, or get the balance of the $900,000?

8. If Victoria elects Beaven and Duck as enemies of Canada, a very great deal may be lost to the country.

9. If you, electors of Victoria, act wisely in this election you will stand in a first rate position with regard to Dock and Railway.

10. If you make a slip, another part of the country will make political capital out of your folly.

11. If you peril your position, future remorse will be of no avail.

12. Victorians should elec men who will serve them faithfully, and not Beaven who first looks to himself and his salary. Nor Duck who promises to support him.

13. The Edgar proposals were quite as good as the terms agreed to by Earl Carnarvon, Canada and British Columbia, and by Walkem, Beaven & Co., lacking courage to place them before the people, Railway construction on the Island has been delayed for two years.

14. When Beaven stated on the floor of the House last session that no change had been agreed to in the railway clauses, of the Terms of Confederation, did he say what was true or false, when it was a notorious fact known to the whole country that an alteration had been agreed to by the three High Contracting Parties? Beaven's false representation at that time helped to defeat the Railway Bill in the Senate, besides giving the Province a name for dishonest shuffling.

15. Eight years in office will give each of the Ministry at least $30,000 directly—and indirectly, many blessings.

16. During the next three or four years the present Ministry, if you elect them, will have reduced the revenue of the Province, exhausted all its borrowing powers forever, and left a legacy in the shape of a crushing debt.

17. After Walkem Beaven & Co. have wasted the $900,000, and pocketed at least $30,000 each, you will not find these gentlemen coming forward for re-election. They will leave the dirty, disagreeable work to others—making good their deficiencies and mal-administration.

18. Walkem, Beaven & Co. leave the odium of imposing direct taxation to make up their deficiencies to those who come after them.

19. If you elect men who will borrow this $900,000, Victoria will have to bear the burden of the direct taxation which is sure to follow.

20. If the present Revenue is found to be too small for the wants of the Colony, what will it be when reduced to $48,000, and no means left of begging or borrowing?

21. The Province was handed over to the present Administration free from debt, and this year our debt will be about $400,000 and our Revenue $20,000 less.

☞ Electors of Victoria, if these words are not true reject them; if the reverse, ponder them well and act wisely. H.

By Electric Telegraph.

EXCLUSIVE TO THE COLONIST.

LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES.

Eastern States.

NEW YORK, Sept. 8—Gold closed at 115⅛ @ ¼. Money dull at 11¼@½.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8—The following dispatch was received at the Executive Mansion last night from Governor Ames, of Mississippi:

"Domestic violence in its most aggravated form exists in certain parts of this State. On the first inst. certain unauthorized and illegal armed bodies overthrew the civil authorities of Yazoo County, and took forcible possession of said county, from which the Sheriff, the Peace Officer of the county, was then compelled to flee for safety, and is still a refugee. The sheriff of this county reports that since the 4th inst. he has been unable, after every possible effort, to maintain peace and protect the rights of citizens. He reports various murders by unauthorized armed bodies who are scouring the county. Warren county is also reported as being in a state of terrorism from the demonstrations of still other unauthorized bands; and a feeling of insecurity prevails in other counties of the State. After careful examination of all the reports I find myself compelled to apply to the General Government for the means of giving that protection to which every American citizen is entitled. I do not make a formal application under the provisions of the constitution of the United States, but telegraph you to know if you regard a proclamation issued by you in December last on the application of the Legislature of this State is still in force.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8.—The President has submitted your dispatch of yesterday, asking if the proclamation of December last is still in force to the Attorney General, who decides it is not in force.

Europe.

LONDON, Sept. 8.—A special from London says that at the opening of business this forenoon, the general markets were steady.

California.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 8.—Considerable diversity of opinion prevails as to the objects of the meeting to-night. Ostensibly its sole purpose is a tribute of respect to the memory of Ralston, which view is supported by the *Post* of last evening and *Chronicle* of this morning. There is evidence, however, of an under-current of feeling looking towards making it an indignation meeting, in which the course pursued by the *Bulletin* and *Call* will be severely censured, and an effort made to initiate a movement looking towards the destruction of their patronage and starting of opposition papers. Hints have even been thrown out of more pronounced measures against these journals and their proprietors, but the general impression seems to be that nothing will be done of a violent or incendiary character. All the better element engaged in the demonstration will exercise their influence against anything of the kind, striving to confine the meeting to its legitimate and ostensible purpose, that of tribute of respect and affection to the late W. C. Ralston.

DELAYED DESPATCHES.

Eastern States.

CHICAGO, Sept. 6—A Washington special says there is a prospect of international trouble with Great Britain that may need another board of arbitration. Not long ago an American schooner, the Gilbert C. Trufant, was sold at Liverpool to British ship owners in open violation of the provisions of our law. Minister Schenck attempted to prevent this sale and notified the State Department of the violation of the regulations. A very lively correspondence has been maintained between the authorities of the United States and Great Britain. Our people have requested the British government to turn this vessel over to the United States, that she may be libelled against her former owners. The Earl of Derby has finally decided that the vessel shall not be delivered up, as in the sale all regulations of British law were carefully observed. He sees no reason for interfering. On the receipt of this decision the secretary of the treasury issued orders to collectors of customs at all sea coast ports to seize and detain the Trufant should she ever visit this country. As the vessel has papers from the British government and flies its flag the seizure is bound to cause a good deal of trouble if made.

CHICAGO, Sept. 7.—The Trufant, when sold at Liverpool, was indebted to her seamen for wages, and to the United States for certain hospital dues. The owners of the Trufant sold her without paying the crew or dues of the vessel.

Europe.

LONDON, Sept. 6.—The trial of Wm. Collie, who with his brother Alexander, of the late firm of Alex. Collie & Co., is charged with obtaining money under false pretences, has been adjourned till Oct 18.

A special to the *Times* from Berlin says Russia seems convinced that the Khoband rebellion was fomented by Yakool Khan, an agent of Yakools, just arrived at Obersa, but as he left before the recent event in Khoband, his arrival will shortly seem to postpone the retributive measures by Russia.

It is reported that an English steamer has succeeded in landing at Matrico a large cargo of war materiel for the Carlists, including four pieces of artillery, 50,000 rifles, and 100 cases of cartridges.

Canada.

MONTREAL, Sept 6.—Thousands visited the scene of the late riotous gathering yesterday. The grave of Guibord's wife, which was recently opened for the reception of Guibord's remains, being the chief object of attraction. It is rumored that systematic preparations are being made by French Canadians, in and around the city, to prevent the burial, and that arms are being transported to aid the belligerents. It is stated on good authority that precautionary measures are being taken by members of the French Canadian Institute to prevent the raising of Guibord's remains after being interred. M. Dautree has received several threatening letters, and a number of his friends now guard his house nightly. No allusion was made to the riot at Catholic churches.

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A Fireproof Safe in the House. oc 28 dwtf

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The Best of WINES, LIQUORS and CIGARS at the Bar. se17

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None but the Best Wines, Liquors and Cigars will be dispensed.

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Fire-proof Safe in the House. fe 18 3m

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MRS. BILLINGS & CO.

HAVING LEASED THE FIREPROOF building, corner of Fort and Douglas streets, have refurnished the same and will open it on

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As a First-class Boarding House, and by strict attention to business hope to receive a share of public patronage. No pains will be spared in securing the comfort and accommodation of guests.

Single Meals ..... 37½cts.
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[Next to Hook and Ladder House.]

CARRIAGES, BUGGIES & HORSES, and Saddle Horses may be had at any hour when wanted, night or day.

Horses taken on livery at Reasonable Rates.

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Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
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DOUGLAS STREET
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With all their connections, into the houses of those who may favor him with a call.

Work completed on shortest notice.
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OPPOSITE THEATRE ROYAL, VICTORIA, B. C.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL OPEN A FIRST class Restaurant at the above address on Monday, August 9th, and will spare no exertions to make the establishment worthy the patronage of the public.

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The Best of Wines, Liquors and Cigars at the Bar.

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At my store on TELEGRAPH CREEK will be found a large assortment of Goods, excepting Liquors.

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A shed will be erected over the HOT SPRINGS, where invalids may enjoy bathing.

jy22 A. CHOQUETTE.

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KEEPS CONSTANTLY ON HAND A FULL supply of

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FIFTY TONS
Good Timothy Hay
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The Trade Supplied. jy11 6m

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VICTORIA, Aug. 7, 1875. au7

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Always on hand and for sale at lowest prices:

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To the Electors of Lillooet District.

GENTLEMEN:—I am a candidate for the representation of our district in the Provincial Parliament.

Though I have never taken an active part in politics, I have watched with much interest the development of Responsible Government under the manipulation of Mr. Walkem and his colleagues. The result has, on the whole, been disastrous to the Province and discreditable to the administration I therefore stand in opposition to the present ministry.

I cannot possibly visit you each in person; but you will probably afford me opportunities of discussing political affairs with you publicly in my visits to the various points of the district.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
J. MARTLEY.
PAVILION, 17th Aug., 1875. au24dw

Gentlemen Electors of Lillooet District.

YOUR PRESENT REPRESENTATIVES to the Provincial Parliament having served their term, you will be called on to elect two others to represent the district for the next four years. Gentlemen, I think that you will agree with me that a change in your representation will undoubtedly benefit the district, I therefore offer myself as a candidate for the representation of your district in the next Parliament, and pledge myself, if elected, to serve you in truth and honesty and to the best of my ability, leaving no stone unturned in trying to secure the welfare and interests of the district and country in general. Being a comparative stranger to some of the electors I feel it my duty, as far as this notice will allow, to acquaint them with my reasons for soliciting their suffrages. Being a Nova Scotian by birth and bred, as it were, under Responsible Government, and knowing and affeting that Responsible Government, when honestly and justly administered, is the best Government yet given to a people. Having spent the last 23 years in traveling through California, Australia, New Zealand and British Columbia—the last 14 years spent here, and having seen and felt the evil effects of an arbitary Government, I therefore feel that experience has taught me which is the best Government. I am therefore prepared to uphold a Government who will give no monopolies in forest, field, mines or fisheries; who will equalize taxation, economize the treasury, immediately survey the public lands, give free grants to actual settlers, and a just franchise to all British subjects; seek indemnification for nonfulfilment of Terms of Union in regard to railroad through British Columbia, and legislate so as to remove all obstacles on our part to the commencement and completion of the railroad through British Columbia. Gentlemen, these are some of the subjects that direct legislation, and you must send men who are determined to see the evils which now crush the country remedied as soon as possible. Gentlemen, if you think I am worthy and capable of representing you in Parliament and do me the honor to accept my services, and elect me as your representative, I can assure you your confidence will not be misplaced.

I therefore beg to remain yours to command,
je13dw JOHN E. LORD, Lillooet.

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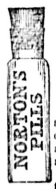

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Parties in the Trade can be supplied with all kinds of
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These Lozenges contain no opium or deleterious drug, therefore the most delicate can take them with perfect confidence. No remedy is so speedy and certain in its beneficial effects.

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Indents for pure Drugs and Chemicals carefully executed. TRADE MARK
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PERSIAN INSECT-DESTROYING POWDER,
As Supplied to Her Majesty's Government.

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